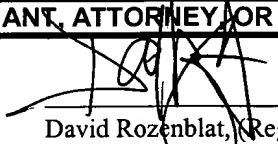
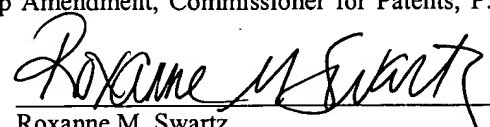




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This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action of August 15, 2005. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

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